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SUBJECT: PRIME MINISTER'S TRAVEL PLANS FOR LONDON NATO MEETING

COMICEDEFOR IS EXPLORING THROUGH HIS CHANNELS AT MY
REQUEST POSSIBLE AVAILABILITY OF MILITARY AIR TRANSPORTATION
FOR PRIME MINISTER HALLGRIMSSON WHICH WOULD PERMIT LATTER
TO BE PRESENT AT OPENING SESSION NATO MEETING LONDON
MAY 10 OR VERY SOON THEREAFTER. INQUIRY RE POSSIBLE
AVAILABILITY SUCH TRANSPORTATION WAS PUT TO ME BY BJORN
BJARNASON DEPUTY SECRETARY GENERAL IN PRIME MINISTER'S
OFFICE WHO IS PM'S RIGHT HAND MAN ON ALL NATO MATTERS.
BJARNASON STRESSED TENTATIVE NATURE OF HIS INQUIRY,
PUTTING IT IN TERMS OF QTE IN EVENT SOMETHING GOING FROM
KEFLAVIK TO LONDON AT SAME TIME UNQTE. (TRANSPORTATION
PROBLEM ARISES FROM FACT THAT ICELANDIC AIRLINES WOULD
NOT NORMALLY LEAVE KEFLAVIK FOR LONDON ON MORNING OF MAY 10
UNTIL APPROXIMATELY 0900 LOCAL, WHICH WOULD MEAN LATE
ARRIVAL LONDON.) BJARNASON HAS ALSO STRESSED THAT IN
EVENT GENERAL STRIKE PRIME MINISTER WOULD NOT BE ABLE
TO PARTICIPATE IN NATO MEETING EVEN IF WE COULD BE
HELPFUL ON TRANSPORTATION VIEW NECESSITY TO KEEP IN TOUCH
WITH DOMESTIC SITUATION. I HAVE LIMITED MYSELF
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TO EXPRESSING WILLINGNESS TO LOOK INTO MATTER
WITHOUT ANY COMMITMENT AS TO EVENTUAL RESPONSE.
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